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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Yasunobu NAKASE

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EXAMINER:

FOR: SEMICONDUCTOR CIRCUIT COMPARING TWO DATA ROWS

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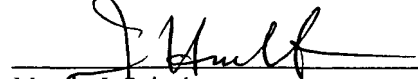
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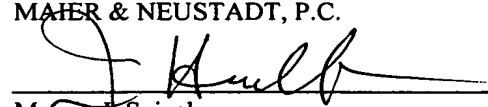
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STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY

Reference AQ (JP 1-296338) on Form PTO- 1449:

This reference is discussed in page 1, line 10 of the specification.

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